

Proposed Schedules for Phase 1B Report Release
July 31, 2008

Alternative One

August 13: Resource Report released - information on identified and proxy projects and identification of CREZs

August 20: SSC meeting, PSG meeting

August 27: Comments due on Resource Report;

September 3: Phase 1B Report draft released (economic ranking; environmental methodology and ranking; results)

September 17: Comments due on Phase 1B Report

September 24: Final Phase 1B Report released

October 1: SSC and PSG meetings, final Phase 1B Report proposed for adoption

Alternative Two

Would it also make sense to release on August 13 a description of the EWG ranking methodology and the proposed methodology for combining the economic and environmental rankings, so the general public can also comment on that methodology before seeing what results it gives? If so, the schedule could look like this:

August 13: Resource Report released - information on identified and proxy projects and identification of CREZs; EWG Report released - methodologies for ranking by environmental impact and combining the economic and environmental rankings

August 20: SSC meeting, PSG meeting

August 27: Comments due on Resource Report and EWG Report

September 3: Phase 1B Report draft released (economic ranking; environmental ranking; results)

September 17: Comments due on Phase 1B Report

September 24: Final Phase 1B Report issued

October 1: SSC and PSG meetings, final Phase 1B Report proposed for adoption